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8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	...	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	...	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...	...	Report not received.

Agricultural operations.—Nil.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly supplied, except in Closepet Sub-Taluk, where more supply is required.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Harvesting is going on.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in parts of Virupakshipura hobli of the Channapatna Taluk. Bengal gram and coriander in parts of Nelamangala Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Dry crops are in good condition. Paddy crops in parts of the Anekal Taluk have been reported to have commenced to wither for want of rain. Paddy and sugar-cane in parts of other taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in parts of all the taluks; paddy in parts of Bangalore, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks; groundnuts in parts of Channapatna and Anekal Taluks and potato in parts of Anekal Taluk and kulthi and sugar-cane in parts of Nelamangala Taluk.

Estimated outturn of crops.—Ragi—Bangalore, 4 to 8 annas; Hoskote, 4 to 8 annas; Nelamangala, 4 annas; Channapatna, 8 annas; Devanhalli, 4 to 8 annas; paddy—Nelamangala, 4 to 8 annas; Devanhalli, 4 annas; sugar-cane—Nelamangala, 8 annas; Kankanhalli, 8 annas.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Good. Food stuffs are available in limited quantities and cooly classes find sufficient labour. The prices of food stuffs are high.

11. Except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala and Magadi Taluks and for small-pox in parts of Channapatna, public health is generally good. There were some cases of plague in Bangalore City.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Markets are moderately supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—*Jola, coriander* and *menthya* in parts of the Bowringpet Taluk. *Jola* and *kadale* in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—*Ragi* in parts of Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 2 to 6 annas. *Same* in parts of the Chintamani, Mulbagal, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks, yield 4 annas. *Paddy* in Srinivaspur Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 4 annas. *Ground nut* in Chikballapur, yield 4 annas.

Standing crops.—Dry crops, sugar-cane and paddy are reported to be in fairly good condition.

10. Prospects of the season, fair. Prices of food grains are stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for *Plague* in parts of the Chintamani and Srinivaspur Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for *Rinderpest* in parts of the Chintamani, Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli Taluks. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are fairly supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Jola and kadale in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Pavagada and Gubbi Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; coriander in parts of Tumkur Taluk; nati ragi and wheat in parts of Sira Taluk; paddy in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks, yield 4 to 10 annas; nati ragi in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; navane in parts of Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Tiptur Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas; savé in parts of Tiptur and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas; Baragu in parts of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas; korle in parts of Sira Taluk, yield 4 annas; paddy in parts of Sira and Tiptur Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas; horse gram in parts of Sira Taluk, yield 8 annas; groundnuts in parts of Maddagiri, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks, and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 4 annas; sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 10 annas.

Standing crops.—Ragi, paddy, sugar-cane, jola, avare, togari, castor, sesamum, horse gram, chillies, savé, groundnuts, tobacco, turmeric, navane, baragu, wheat, haraka, cotton and korle are reported to be in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in Koratagere, Tumkur and Gubbi Towns, the public health is reported to be good.

12. Except for Dodroga in parts of Pavagada Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and pasture are available for the present.

MYSORE.

8. Supply in the markets is not yet quite satisfactory.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and kept ready for mungar crops in T.-Narsipur Taluk.

Crops sown.—Transplanting of paddy is going on in Chamrajnagar Taluk.

State of the standing crops.—The standing crops are paddy, ragi, horse gram, avare, togari, castor, tobacco, til, coriander, Bengal gram, hine ragi, hine jola, cotton, tadagani, samé, navane, groundnut, chillies, mulberry, sugar-cane, haraka and black and green grams, and they are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the taluks of Mysore, Yedatore (12 annas), Seringapatam (12 to 14 annas), Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Chamrajnagar, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Mandya, Nagamangala (12 annas), Krishnarajpete, horse gram in the taluks of Mysore, Yedatore (8 annas), Heggaddevankote, Nanjangud (8 annas), Gundlupet (8 annas), Chamrajnagar, Malvalli, Mandya, ragi in the taluks of Yedatore (4 annas), Seringapatam (8 annas), Hunsur (8 annas), Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet (8 annas), Chamrajnagar (6 to 10 annas), T.-Narsipur, Mandya, Malvalli, Nagamangala (8 annas), and Krishnarajpete; castor in the taluks of Yedatore (4 annas), and Gundlupet (8 annas); togari in the taluks of Yedatore (4 annas), Gundlupet (8 annas), Chamrajnagar and Heggaddevankote; hine jola in Heggaddevankote Taluk; tobacco in Hunsur Taluk; halasandi (4 annas) in Gundlupet Taluk; green gram in the taluks of Heggaddevankote and Gundlupet (4 annas); Bengal gram in Heggaddevankote Taluk; samé and navane in the taluks of Gundlupet (2 annas) and Mandya Taluks; black gram (8 annas) in Gudlupet Taluk; and sugar-cane in Nagamangala Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season fairly satisfactory. Food stuffs are available in limited quantities.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Mysore, Yedatore, Hunsur, Gundlupet and Mandya Taluks; and fever and cough in parts of Yedatore Taluk. Influenza is said to have stopped completely in the taluks of Mysore, Nanjangud, Gundlupet and Malvalli and to be decreasing in other taluks of the district. Small-pox is said to prevail in Seringapatam Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for "Doddaroga" in parts of Gundlupet Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

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8. Markets are fairly supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—The standing crops in all the taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Estimated outturn of crops harvested.—Belur Taluk—paddy, 4 to 6 annas; ragi, 8 to 12 annas; Channarayapatna Taluk, paddy and ragi 8 annas; Alur Sub-Taluk, paddy, 4 to 8 annas.

Agricultural operations.—Lands are being ploughed and transplanting of *'car'* paddy is going on in parts of Hassan Taluk. Menthya, Bengal gram, onions and coriander are being sown in Arkalgud Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fairly good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Hassan Taluk and Hole-Narsipur Town. Influenza has abated in all the taluks.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available in all the taluks.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market fairly supplied but the prices are still high.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Bengal gram in Shimoga and Channagiri Taluks.

State of standing crops.—Paddy in Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Nagar, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks; ragi in Channagiri, Honnali and Nagar Taluks; sugar-cane in all the taluks; horse gram in Channagiri and Honnali Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; areca in Sorab, Sagar, Tirthahalli and Nagar Taluks; pepper in Sagar Taluk; wheat, cotton, avare, chillies, togari in Honnali Taluk are reported to be in fair condition. Sugar-cane is reported to have been damaged in parts of Shikarpur Taluk for want of sufficient water.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Shimoga, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi in Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Sorab and Nagar Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; areca in Shimoga, Sagar, Nagar, Sorab and Tirthahalli Taluks; and horse gram, navane and savé in Honnali Taluk. The yield of paddy and ragi ranges from 2 to 8 annas in all the taluks, except Nagar, where it ranges to 12 annas. Areca is estimated to yield from 8 to 12 annas in Nagar Sorab and Tirthahalli Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

11. Except cholera and plague in a few villages of Shimoga, Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for Rinderpest in a few villages of Honnali and Tirthahalli Taluks, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water is available in all the taluks in limited quantities. Fodder is reported to be insufficient in parts of Channagiri and Shikarpur Taluks.

KADUR.

8. Markets were poorly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Kadur—Jolam, Bengal gram, wheat and coriander.

Standing crops.—Paddy in all the taluks and sub-taluks; sugar-cane and ragi in Chikmagalur, Kadur, Tarikere and Mudgere Taluks; cotton, cholam, castor, samé, horse gram, coriander chillies and avare in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks; coffee and cardamom in Chikmagalur, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks; areca in Kadur, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks; Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk and Sringeri Jahgir and pepper in Koppa Taluk.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur—Paddy, cotton, ragi, chillies and coffee, yield 2 to 8 annas; Kadur—ragi, samé and paddy, yield 4, 6 and 2 annas, respectively; Tarikere—paddy and ragi, yield not reported. Orders issued; Koppa—paddy, areca, sugar-cane and coffee, yield 4, 6, 6 and 4 annas, respectively; Mudgere—paddy, yield 8 annas; Narasimharajapura—paddy and areca, yield 6 annas; Sringeri—areca and paddy, yield 10 and 8 annas, respectively.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs were available in limited quantities during the week.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks and Narasimharajapura Town, small-pox in parts of the Kadur Taluk and influenza in parts of the Koppa Taluk and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets well supplied in the taluks of Hiriyur, Davangere and Jagalur and moderately supplied in others.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, jola, horse gram, navane, sajje, cotton togari, avare, castor, chillies, Bengal gram and wheat are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown during the week.—Paddy in the Chitaldrug Taluk; Bengal gram and wheat in the Challakere Taluk; paddy in the Hiriyur Taluk.

Crops harvested during the week.—Sugar-cane, paddy, mungar jola and ragi in the Chitaldrug Taluk (yield 6 to 8 annas); sajje, navane, ragi and savé in the Hiriyur Taluk (yield 8 annas); ragi (yield 4 annas); navane (yield 8 annas); savé (yield 8 annas) in the Holalkere Taluk; ragi, jola and cotton in the Davangere Taluk; ragi, paddy and navane in the Jagalur Taluk (yield 8 annas); ragi, jola, navane, haraka and baragu in the Hoadurga Taluk (yield 8 to 12 annas); cotton, mungar jola, ragi and navane in the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stuffs are available, but in limited quantities.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good, except for plague in the Davangere town and in the villages of Kakkaragola and Nitaballi of the Davangere Taluk and Medakerepura of the Chitaldrug Taluk and cholera in the villages of Moyakonda and Annapura of the Davangere Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except of Renderpest in the village of Budipura of the Hiriyur Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

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